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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1771.

PARIS, *August* 23.

AMONG the military Arrangements, the Militia of this Kingdom is transformed into provincial Regiments. The 104 Battalions will form 47 Regiments, which are to be called by the Names of 47 principal Towns. It is aſſured, that the Parliaments of Toulouſe and Bourdeaux will meet with the ſame Fate as that of Douay. Though the Duke de Praſlin has been here ſome Days in Conſequence of Leave being given him to reſide here on Account of his Health, he is only permitted to ſee his own Family, all other Company being expreſsly forbid.

Aug. 30. Mr. Tuneſtick, by Origin an Engliſhman, has juſt exhibited at Verſailles a very ſingular Experiment. He opened the Head of a Sheep and Horſe from Side to Side, by driving a large Iron Wedge into the Skull, by Means of a Mallet, drew the Wedge out afterwards with Pincers, and recalled the Animal to Life, by injecting through their exterior Aperture, with a Tin Syringe, a ſpirituous Liquor of his own Compoſition, to which he attributes ſurpriſing Effects. The Taſte of this Liquour reſembles that of Commanders Balm.

LEGHORN, *Aug.* 18. We had Accounts Yeſterday from the Levant, mentioning, that the united Ruſſian Fleet had not ſteered its Courſe to the Dardanelles, but to Salonica or Theſſalonica to take it, and by that Means to be near General Romanzow's Army, and facilitate their projected Operations. The General, with the greateſt Part of the Army, intends attempting to Force his Paſſage into Bulgaria at Nicopolis, and to proceed in his Operations againſt Macedonia and Romania, ſupported by the Fleet under Count Orlow, towards the effecting of which the Help of all the Greeks in Macedonia will be of great Service. What will be the Proceedings of the Auſtrian Troops, who are aſſembled in great Numbers on the Frontiers of Boſnia and Servia, in Caſe this ſhould all take Place, will then be ſeen.

HAGUE, *Sept.* 6. The laſt Letters from Paris adviſe, that upon the Removal of the Prince de Beauveau from the Command in Languedoc, his Majeſty conferred it upon the Count de Perigord, who immediately ſet out for that Province, with Orders, as it is aſſured, to do the ſame at Thoulouſe, as the Duke de Lorges has done at Beſancon, with Reſpect to the Parliament of Franche Comte. The Duke de Richelieu has received the ſame Orders for the Parliament of Bourdeaux; and another general Officer is going to Aix upon the ſame Buſineſs. Monſ. Duclos has reſigned the Secretaryſhip of the French Academy, and is ſucceeded by Monſ. d'Alembert. It is ſaid, that the Princeſs Louiſa will take the Veil in a few Days.

LONDON,

Auguſt 5. Dr. Cadogan, the celebrated Author of a late Treatiſe on the Gout, declares, that no Phyſician, to do his Patients Juſtice, can viſit more than Five a Day. His Rule, we hear, is to give every Patient an Hour at leaſt—ſometimes Two; and he declares, that feeling the Pulſe upon immediate Entrance is injudicious; as the mere Sight of a Doctor occaſions an Alteration in the Blood of the afflicted Perſon, which ſhould have Time to compoſe before an Opinion is given on the Caſe.

Auguſt 9. A Method of deſtroying Wevils in Corn-Chambers, which has proved ſucceſsful on repeated Trials.——Carefully dig up an Ant or Piſmire's Hill with a Spade, and Place it in a Corner of the Chamber, and in a Month the Wevils will be all deſtroyed by the Ants; but if any ſhould remain after that Time, which is ſeldom the Caſe, replace the old Hill with a freſh one.

Aug. 31. Thurſday Night ſome Diſpatches of Importance, ſaid to relate to the ſudden Departure of the French Ambaſſador from this Kingdom, were received at the Secretary of State's Office in Cleveland-Row.

Sept. 5. Yeſterday a Packet, with ſome important Diſpatches, was ſent away to Falmouth for Lord Viſcount Gage, Commander in Chief of his Majeſty's Forces in North-America, to be forwarded from thence by a Packet Boat appointed for that Purpoſe.

An Eaſt-India Gentleman, who arrived in England from thence laſt Summer, has brought with him the Secret of the true Compoſition of China, and the Method of enamelling it, in the genuine Chineſe Manner.

The following may be depended on as an authentic Account of the Seizure of the Argyle, a Ship of 250 Tons, by the Governor of the Brazils. Captain Haſſel, of the Duke of Portland Indiaman, being determined to take out with him a Quantity of Goods on his own private Account (which are forbid by the Company) hired the above Ship in the River, which he laded with ſeveral Stands of Fire-arms, Pig-Lead, Copper, &c. and ſent her to the Canaries before-hand, to wait for the Indiaman's arrival there. It is generally imagined, that the Captain intended on his Arrival at the Canaries to have taken the Goods on board his own Ship, which he could not do in any of the Engliſh Ports; but the Company had ſo filled the Indiaman with exported Goods that he found it impracticable, ſo ordered the Maſter of the Argyle to follow him on his Voyage. On their Arrival at the Brazils (where the Portland was already at Anchor) the Governor ſent his Boat on board to enquire the uſual Queſtions, where they were bound to, &c. which whether the Maſter of the Veſſel was ordered to conceal, or by what, is not yet known, but the Portugueſe Officers finding a large Quantity of Arms on board, abſolutely refuſed their coming into Port. The Argyle remonſtrated on their want of Water and other Articles, on which they were ordered in under the Caſtle Guns, where, when they arrived, they were ſeized and the Captain and Crew all commited to the Dungeons as Pirates, where they continued above Five Months, till Advice was ſent thereof to Liſbon. Orders were then brought to the Governor, to ſend them in a Man of War home to Liſbon, where, when they arrived, the Crew were all ſent to England, but the Captain is ſtill detained for further Examination. The Ship and her Cargo muſt be delivered up, it being to be proved Engliſh Property; but it is, however, imagined it will hurt the Captain (Haſſel) in the Company's Service, who perhaps will be never employed again.

Sept. 8. We are aſſured that one Particular which the D— of Glouceſter has to tranſact with the Court of Liſbon, is to demand the delivering up of the Argyle Ship and Cargo which the Governor of the Brazils ſeized on Suſpicion of their being Pirates.

It is paſt a Doubt, that the Court of Verſailles have been under the *abſolute Neceſſity* in the ſtricteſt Senſe of that Phraſe to reduce 50,000 of their Infantry, beſides their whole Gens-d'armerie, which is a Corps conſiſting of 3000 Houſhold Troops.

They write from Breſt, that on breaking up a ſmall French Frigate which had lain by for many Years, a large Quantity of Gold, in Spaniſh and Portugal Coin, had been diſcovered in the hollow Part of a large Beam, to the Value of ſeveral Thouſand Pounds Sterling.

Sept. 10. It is not yet ſettled whether the preſent Lord Lieutenant of Ireland will continue in Office this Winter, or not; if there ſhould be any Remove, Lord Suffolk is ſaid to be fixed on, at his Lordſhip's particular Requeſt.

A noble Lord (Lord H——d) it is ſaid, has bought upwards of 100,000l. in the Three per Cents, within this Fortnight; and as he is ſoon to pay more than 200,000l. to Government, he will pay them in *Government Stock*, by which Stroke of Finance he will ſave at leaſt Thirteen per Cent. without cheating or defrauding Government.

This Day a Packet was ſent off from the Admiralty Office, to be forwarded with all Expedition for Sir George Rodney, at Jamaica.

Orders are ſent to Chatham for equipping a Fleet of Five Ships immediately, Three of which are to be of the Line. Their Deſtination is yet a profound Secret.

Conſiderable Wagers are held that Mr. Sawbridge, and not Mr. Croſby, will be Lord Mayor of London for the enſuing Year.

It is generally imagined that the pretended Diſcoveries to be made by Dudley and Britain, relative to the Fire at Portſmouth Dock, are nothing more than ſo many Attempts to impoſe upon Government, and to profit by the Credulity of the People.

They write from Portſmouth, that above Six Perſons have abſconded from thence ſince the beginning of Auguſt laſt.

A Correſpondent ſays, Proſecutions both from the Crown and Eaſt-India Company, are ordered againſt an eminent Tradeſman, who freighted the Argyle with military Stores, Iron, Steel, Copper, Lead, and other contraband Articles, to the Canaries, to be put on board an Indiaman, deſigned for Heyder Alli, who has his Agents at every Port of India, where our Ships are ſtationed.

According to Letters from Peterſburgh, the Ottoman Porte, in order to accelerate the Treaty of Peace with her Imperial Majeſty, had made freſh Propoſals, which were judged of ſo advantageous a Nature, that a ſpeedy End will be put to the War.

Letters from Holland by Yeſterday's Mail adviſe, that the Publication of the French Utrecht Gazette is prohibited for Six Weeks, on Account of ſome Paragraphs therein publiſhed, that have given Offence to the Court of France, of which the Dutch Ambaſſador at Paris has Complaints to the States General.

Sept. 12. On Friday laſt Sir Eyre Coote kiſſed Hands on being appointed Colonel of the 27th Regiment, late Warburton's.

We are aſſured there is no Foundation for the Reports of a Treaty being on foot between the Courts of Berlin, Copenhagen, Peterſburgh, and London, in the Manner of the Bourbon Compact.

Laſt Night a very numerous and reſpectable Meeting of the Livery of London was held at the Half-Moon Tavern, in Cheapſide, when it was unanimouſly agreed to ſupport the preſent Lord Mayor at the enſuing Election, on Monday the 30th Inſt. and to maintain their own Independency in Oppoſition to all miniſterial Influence.

Great Preparations, we hear, are making by the Croſbyan and Harleyan Parties, for a general Engagement in the Plains of Guildhall on the 30th of this Month; and from the apparent Animoſity on both Sides, it is expected the Conteſt will be very hot, and the Battle bloody. The Ground, it is ſaid, will be fought Inch by Inch, as the Generals of each Army are determined to conquer or die.

Yeſterday a Perſon, who goes by the Name of Capt. S. whether in the Militia or Marines, is uncertain, was taken into Cuſtody of the proper Officer, charged, on the Information of Dudley, with being concerned in the late Fire at Portſmouth.

Dudley, whoſe Informations have made ſo much Noiſe in the World, is the Son of a Gentleman of a very genteel Fortune in the Weſt of England, and has received a very liberal Education.

One Day laſt Week an Officer of the Cuſtoms at Rocheſter, ſearched a young Lady's high Head on an Information, and found concealed in her Roll a large Quantity of foreign Lace, which he ſeized; it is tho't this new Mode of ſmuggling has been practiſed with great Succeſs, but by the above Diſcovery the Ladies Heads will be often ſubject to an Examination, which will diſcommode the Oeconomy of their Hair. If this Fact ſhould induce the Fair-ſex to lower their Heads to a moderate Standard, it will be a full Proof that Cuſtom-Houſe Officers are a uſeful Body of Men.

To the Printer of the PUBLICK LEDGER.

WHEN in the Name of Patience are the Publick Prints to have done with the Turpitude of Wilkes, or the Atheiſm of Horne, the Wind Muſick of George Bellas, or the Honeſty of Humphrey Cotes? Is the Metropolis of the Britiſh Empire, Day after Day, to be teized, to be perſecuted with the Squabbles of a few contemptible Knaves or Fools? and is the Preſs never more to furniſh us with a decent Diſh, either of tolerable Entertainment or rational Inſtruction? Party Diſſentions have laid the Ax to the very Root of Literature, Mr. Printer; the turbulent Roar of Politicks has terrified Genius and Science from this infatuated Iſland, and nothing is left us for peruſal but the Billingſgate Recrimination of an infamous Crew, which is equally diſguſting to our Reaſon and our Humanity.

For my own Part, Mr. Printer, I am aſtoniſhed at the Folly of Mr. Wilkes, in ſeriouſly attempting to refute Mr. Horne's Charges about the Welch Poney and the old Clothes: Why ſhould the Plunderer of Orphans, or the Deſtroyer of Bonds, be ſo exceedingly diſturbed about trifling Accuſations? Or why ſhould Mr. Horne be ſo ſolicitous to purge himſelf from the Guilt of a Friendſhip for Mr. Wilkes, when he has proved himſelf utterly unworthy the Friendſhip of every honeſt Man, by deliberately entering on a Profeſſion which he publickly pronounces deſtructive to his Principles, and dangerous to all the honourable Connexions of Society? They put me in Mind of a Houſe-breaker who was very much offended at being called a Pick-pocket; and of a Murderer convicted at the Old Bailey, who inſiſted it was a *damned ſhameful* Thing to ſay, that he had ſtruck the Party murdered with the Knife behind his Back. If Mr. Wilkes and Mr. Horne are deſirous of eſtabliſhing themſelves with the conſiderable Part of Mankind, let them remove the Mountain Charges of Criminality which are brought againſt their Character: Let Mr. Wilkes prove that he did not rob the Foundling Hoſpital, that he committed no Fraud on the Pariſian Jeweller, and that the Aſſertion of his tearing his Notes to Pieces when tendered for Payment by Mr. Sylva, is a ſcandalous Falſehood: Let him do this, and then we ſhall liſten to minuter Exculpations. But to remove a Mole-hill Reproach, while a Pælion, an Oſſa of Baſeneſs, cruſhes him into the loweſt Sinks of Raſcality, is to throw away his own Time, and to commit a moſt unreaſonable Treſpaſs upon the Patience of his Readers. In like Manner, Sir, let Mr. Horne prove that he did *not* know the unexampled Profligacy of Wilkes, *before* he commenced an Acquaintance with him; let him ſhew any new Degree of Depravity in that Fellow's Conduct, of which he did not *previouſly* ſuppoſe him capable, and let him waſh away the Contamination received from the infectious Hand of the Biſhop; let him do this, and we ſhall endeavour to wade through the heavy Puddles of his Prolixity. But till he does this, he will do himſelf no Service by his Publications, nor excite any Wiſh, at leaſt in my Boſom, but a Wiſh that, like the Judas of Antiquity, he may fly to the Refuge of a Rope from the Keenneſs of his own Reflections. Give us therefore, Mr. Printer, as little as you can about theſe very deſpicable Miſcreants: If we muſt have Politicks, let them be ſuch as will make the uninformed acquainted with the true Conſtitution of their Country; ſuch as will really expoſe Miniſters where they deſerve to be expoſed, and do Juſtice to their Merit where they really labour for the Happineſs of the People.

I am, SIR, &c.

RATIONALIS.

BOSTON, *October* 28.

A Paragraph in the Maſſachuſetts Spy, of laſt Thurſday, ſays, "That Capt. Preſton, who was lately juſtified for killing ſome Rioters on the 5th of March, 1770, has had a ſtill further Compenſation from his Sovereign for his Services, having conferred on him 500l. Sterl. to recruit him in what he expected, and alſo a Penſion of 200l. per Annum."

By a Perſon lately arrived from Jamaica, we learn, that his Majeſty's Ships of War on that Station had ALL ſailed to the Spaniſh Main, the Deſign is a profound Secret, and cauſes much Speculation there.

Since our laſt arrived here the following Ships of War, viz. The Tartar of 28 Guns, Capt. Meadows, from South Carolina, where ſhe landed Governor Montague, from England, at which Place Mr. Gibbs the Purſer died.—The Gibraltar of 24 Guns, from Halifax, Sir Thomas Rich, Commander, in whom came Paſſenger Lord William Campbell, Governor of the Province of Nova Scotia.——The Swan of 10 Guns, Captain Alcough, from Halifax.——And the Beaver of 18 Guns, Captain Lindſey, from New-London.

NEW-YORK, *November* 4.

Captain William Harriſon, who arrived here on Sunday the 27th ult. in Seventeen Days, from New-Providence, in Lat. 33: 28, Long. 73: 53, ſaw a Wreck, without any Perſon on board, to the Weſtward, and ran cloſe under her Stern; found her to be a Snow, New-England built; Had loſt all her Maſts, except about Twelve Feet of her Foremoſt;—She had neither Anchors, Cables, or any Kind of Rigging left, except the Man-Ropes of her Bowſprit;——Had ſome ſmall Spars laſhed, and ſome Fire-wood laying on Deck;——had black Sides and Stern: Her Hance Streak painted white, and Waſh-boards red;——her Two larboard Dead-Lights beat in;—ſaw Two Cheſts in her Cabin; her Hatches were open, and was very light; had a Woman Head, and loſt Part of her Waiſt on her Starboard Side.—A high Sea running, and the Wind blowing very freſh, prevented Captain Harriſon from going on board, to make any farther Diſcoveries.

Captain Chambers, on the 24th of September, Lat. 41, ſpoke the Ship Counteſs of Suſſex, Captain Gray, 38 Days from Maryland, bound to London.——Octo. 17, Lat. 38, 30, with the Ship Rainbow, Captain Caldwell, Nine Weeks from Colrain, bound to this Port with Servants;—the 27th with a Sloop Three Days from Boſton, bound to Cape Fear. With Capt. Chambers, Mr. John Hopton of Carolina, Merchant, came Paſſenger.

Thurſday laſt Five Tranſports ſailed from hence for Amboy, to take on board his Majeſty's 29th Regiment for Auguſtine.

Extract of a Letter from Kingſton, in Jamaica, September 16, 1771.

——"The 3d of September, about 8 o'Clock in the Morning, we had a moſt dreadful and terrible Earthquake, which laſted about one Minute; had it continued Half that Time longer, every Houſe in this City muſt have been levelled to the Ground.——The Shock was ſo ſevere that it was with much Difficulty People could keep their Feet. The general Terror among the Inhabitants can better be conceived than expreſſed, every one being in dreadful Expectation of inſtantaneous Death: It pleaſed God however to ſpare us, and in his Judgments to remember Mercy—My Houſe rocked like a Cradle, and I fully expected it muſt have rent aſunder. Think, my Friend, what muſt have been the Situation of my Mind on this Occaſion; to ſee my Wife and Family flying frantick and wild, ſeeking Protection from me. Good God! I would not paſs ſuch another Minute tho' to purchaſe Millions of Worlds.

"About Half an Hour after we had another Shock, tho' not ſo violent; and between 9 and 10 at Night, another ſomething harder than the laſt; the next Day there were no leſs than Five Shocks more; and between that and the Date of this Letter, ſcarce a ſingle Day has paſſed without our feeling this dreadful Convulſion of Nature, and ſtill this City is preſerved as a Monument of God's Mercy and Goodneſs.—The late Earthquakes at Hiſpaniola being called to our Minds afreſh, you may well imagine added much to our Apprehenſions."

WILLIAMSBURG, *October* 31.

Though Eulogiums upon the Dead are too frequently made without Deſert, and read without Attention, yet, if the Loſs of a dutiful Child, of an affectionate Wife, of a tender and diſcreet Parent, of a Miſtreſs whoſe Servants were more afraid of offending her than of receiving Correction, of a ſocial cheerful Companion, of a warm Friend, and of a generous, kind, and obliging Neighbour, can touch the human Heart with Sorrows not immediately its own, every one of our Readers who had the Pleaſure of her Acquaintance, will, with ſympathizing Tears, acknowledge that all thoſe amiable Characters were united in Mrs. Mary Maſon, the Lady of Thomſon Maſon, of Loudoun County, Eſq; who died on Monday the 21ſt Inſtant, at Weſtwood, the Seat of the Reverend Mr. Scott, in Prince William County, on her Return home from a Viſit to her Father.

Deſcend each ſofter Muſe, inſpire my Lay,
Whilſt I a friendly Tear to Virtue pay:
In fair Maria's Breaſt ſhe fix'd her Throne,
And there with full reſplendent Luſtre ſhone.
Each female Excellence in her combin'd,
Exalted Piety, and Love refin'd;
With fond maternal Love her Heart was warm'd,
And as a Miſtreſs, Mother, Wife, ſhe charm'd;
Benevolence in all her Actions flow'd,
And ſacred Friendſhip in her Boſom glow'd.
But what avails it now! Our Joys are fled,
And dear Maria's number'd with the Dead,
Forever from Love's fond Embraces torn,
Her lovely Infants weeping o'er her Urn:
Light lies the Turf upon her ſpotleſs Breaſt,
And Seraphs wing her parting Soul to reſt.
But who ſhall ſoothe her abſent Damon's Grief!
What friendly Hand can bring his Woes Relief!
Religion, thy all powerful Aid impart,
And calm thoſe Sorrows which oppreſs his Heart.
Bright Hope deſcend, and cheer his drooping Soul,
And ev'ry Effort of Deſpair controul:
In other Worlds they ſhall again unite,
And, freed from Senſe, ſhall taſte ſupreme Delight.

To be ſold at Upper Marlborough, *on Wedneſday the 27th of* November, *to the higheſt Bidder*,

SEVERAL Articles of Houſhold Furniture, a Negro Boy, Chaiſe and Horſe, lately the Property of *John Scott*, deceaſed.

WILLIAM LOCK WEEMS,
DANIEL CARROLL.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of the late *Anthony W. Waters*, of *Staten Iſland*, deceaſed, are deſired to make ſpeedy Payments to *Michael Earl*, Eſq; or *Gerard Hopkins*, jun. and thoſe that have any Demands againſt ſaid Eſtate are deſired to bring in their Accounts to one of thoſe Gentlemen, that they may be ſent to and diſcharged by

JABEZ JOHNSON, Executor, at *New York*.

MISSING,

A TRUNK directed for Dr. *Robert Pottinger*, to the Care of Mr. *James Miller*, Merchant in *Bladenſburg*; it was brought from *Philadelphia* in the Schooner *Lovely Laſs*, *Thomas Dewick*, Maſter, in *June* laſt, and as ſhe delivered Goods at ſundry Places below on *Patowmack*, it is imagined it was put on Shore with ſome of them by Miſtake. Whoever has ſaid Trunk in Poſſeſſion, will much oblige me, by informing Mr. *James Miller* of it by a Line.

(w3) ROBERT POTTINGER.

November 13, 1771.

ALL Perſons who have any Claims againſt the Eſtate of Captain *Charles Griffith*, late of *Anne-Arundel* County, deceaſed, are deſired to bring their Accounts in legally proved, that they may be adjuſted; and all thoſe indebted to the ſaid Eſtate are deſired to make immediate Payment to

JOHN GRIFFITH,
NICH. WORTHINGTON, } Executors.

Annapolis, November 13, 1771.

COMMITTED to *Anne-Arundel* County Jail as a Runaway, a Man who ſays his Name is *Alexander Harris*, and that he ſerved his Time in *Virginia* near *Alexandria*: He has on a blue Surtout Coat and Worſted Shag Jacket of a Red Colour, Leather Breeches, &c. His Maſter, if any, is deſired to take him away and pay Charges to

JOHN CLAPHAM, Sheriff.

November 11, 1771.

RAN away laſt Night from the Subſcribers, Three Convict Servant Men, lately imported from *Briſtol*, in the *Reſtoration*, Captain *Thomas*, *viz.* GEORGE M'CARTY, about 30 Years old, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, freſh Complexion: Had on a Snuff-coloured Cloth Coat, brown Holland Waiſtcoat, ſtriped Cotton Trouſers, and old Buckſkin Breeches. He has been in the Country before and talks of having a Wife at *Duck-Creek*; it is probable he may endeavour to paſs for a Sailor. JOHN HINTON, a Gardener by Trade, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, fair Complexion: Had on a light-coloured Thick-ſet or Fuſtian Waiſtcoat, old Buckſkin Breeches, and Silver plated Buckles in his Shoes; has light-coloured Hair, and is about 25 Years old. WILLIAM RUDGE, by Trade a Whitſmith, pale Complexion, about 27 Years old, 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high: Had on an old blue Coat with yellow Metal Buttons, Flannel Waiſtcoat, and old Buckſkin Breeches. They have been in the Country about 3 Weeks, were born in the Weſt of *England*, and ſpeak much in that Dialect.

Whoever takes up ſaid Servants and ſecures them in any Jail, or either of them, ſhall have Four Dollars Reward for each, beſides what the Law allows, and if brought home to *Ebenezer Mackie* at *Baltimore*, or *James French* at *Elk Ridge Landing*, reaſonable Charges will be allowed by

(7w) EBENEZER MACKIE,
JAMES FRENCH.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Henry Ridgely*, near *Annapolis*, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Mare, about 14 Hands high, with a white Slip on her Noſe and a Star on her Forehead, has no perceivable Brand and is a natural Pacer. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Welſh*, jun. living in *Anne Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Horſe, with Flaxen Mane and Tail, Four white Feet, about 13 Hands and a Half high, 8 or 9 Years of Age, trots and gallops, has a large Blaze on his Face, and is branded on the near Thigh with an O. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Joſeph Norris*, living near *Sharpſburg*, *Frederick* County, a gray Mare, about 10 Years old, about 13 Hands high, branded on the off Shoulder and near Thigh thus $\frac{A}{H}$ The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges.

WANTED by the Subſcriber, living on *Herring-Bay*, near *Herring-Creek* Church, a good Tanner. For Particulars apply to

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By ROBERT COCKBURN, Teacher of the MATHEMATICKS.

Annapolis, Nov. 3, 1771.

STRAYED or ſtolen from the Subſcriber, ſome Time in *September* laſt, a ſorrel Horſe, about Thirteen and an Half Hands high, with a ſmall Blaze down his Face, trots and gallops. Whoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, and ſecures him, ſo that the Owner gets him again, ſhall receive 15s. for their Trouble.

SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD.

St. Mary's County, *October* 10, 1771.

COMMITTED to my Cuſtody as a Runaway, a Negro JIM, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, has on a brown Cloth Jacket, a ſtriped Linſey one underneath, Oſnabrig Shirt, Crocus Trouſers, a Felt Hat and old Shoes. His Maſter, if any, is deſired to take him away and pay Charges to

JENIFER TAYLOR, Sheriff.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Abraham Britain*, living on *Middle River*, *Lower Hundred*, *Baltimore* County, taken up as a Stray, a bay Mare, about 13 Hands and a Half high, about 4 Years old laſt Spring, has no viſible Marks or Brand, and appears to have been worked. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges. (w3)

Charles County, *October* 24, 1771.

TO be ſold very reaſonably, on good Security, and Credit given for Seven Years, on paying the Intereſt annually, or leaſed out for Twenty-one Years, the Two following Tracts of Land, lying in *Frederick* County, a little above the Mouth of the Fifteen Miles Creek: The one called *Wallaut Level*, containing 255 Acres, on which is a good Log Dwelling-Houſe, with a ſmall Plantation cleared and fenced in. The other called *Dogwood Plains*, containing 263 Acres and an Half, a ſmall Diſtance higher up the ſaid Creek. From either of theſe Tracts an exceeding good Waggon Road may be made to the Country Road, which leads from *Frederick-Town* to *Fort Cumberland*; they are both well timbered and watered, and have Sufficiency of good Bottom for Meadows; the high Lands will produce fine Wheat: On and adjoining to theſe Tracts is a very extenſive Range for Stock. Theſe Tracts will be ſold or leaſed together, or ſeparately, as may beſt ſuit the Perſons who take them; if leaſed, ſome Time will be allowed Rent free, as may be agreed on. Whoever is inclinable to treat about this Matter, may know the Terms, by applying to Mr. *John Harriſon* at *Frederick-Town*, or to the Subſcriber, living about Eight Miles below *Piſcataway*.

(3w) SAMUEL HANSON.

Annapolis, October 31, 1771.

Juſt imported, in the Brothers, *Captain* Williamſon, *from* London, *and will be ſold by the Subſcribers, at Mr.* Calvert's *old Houſe, on the publick Circle, near the Market-Houſe in* Annapolis, *wholeſale and retail, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, or ſhort Credit,*

A Large Aſſortment and great Variety of *European* and *Eaſt-India* Goods, adapted to the different Seaſons; And as ready Money is the beſt and ſureſt Commodity to go to Market with, ſuch as incline to deal with precious Caſh, will, upon Trial, find it much to their Intereſts in bartering with

(tfo) WALLACE, DAVIDSON and JOHNSON.

October 23, 1771.

Juſt imported, in the Induſtry, *Capt. Caſſaud; in the* Exeter, *Capt.* Meader, *from* London; *and in the* Reſtoration, *Capt. Thomas, from* Briſtol; *and will be ſold on the moſt reaſonable Terms, at their Store on the Dock, in* Annapolis, viz.

A Large and neat Aſſortment of *European* and *India* Goods, ſuitable to the Seaſon: Amongſt which there are fine and ſuperfine Broad-Cloths, Napt Frizes, Bath Coatings, &c. and Trimmings to ſuit the Cloth; Rugs and Blankets; about 1000 Pounds Sterling worth of well aſſorted *Iriſh* Linens, which will be ſold in Parcels, very low; ſail-Cloth No. 1 to 6; 3*d*. 4*d*. 6*d*. 8*d*. 10*d*. 12*d*. 20*d*. 24*d*. 30*d*. and ſheathing Nails; ſheathing Paper; a few Caſks of excellent bottled *Briſtol* Beer; *Glouceſterſhire* Cheeſe; alſo Hyſon and Bohea Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, &c. &c.

(5w) THOMAS WILLIAMS and Co.

Talbot County, *October* 28, 1771.

THIS is to acquaint whom it may concern, that the Term of Years which the Subſcriber agreed to do Buſineſs for and on Account of *Samuel Robinſon* of the City of *London*, is now expired; he is now ready to account with any Perſon or Perſons properly and legally qualified by ſaid *Samuel Robinſon* and his Aſſignees, and deliver up all the Effects in his Hands, due to, and which upon ſettling may appear to belong to ſaid *Samuel Robinſon* or his Aſſigns.

PHILIP WEATHERALL.

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Philadelphia, May 13, 1771.

(om) ENOCH STORY

BEGS leave to inform the Publick in general and his Friends in particular, that he has removed to a House well situate for Business, at the Corner of *Market* and *Second* Streets, near the Court-House, in this City, where he has fitted up a convenient Store for the Reception of Merchandize, which he proposes selling upon Commission, on the lowest Terms for Cash only, either there or at his Vendue-House up *Second* Street, (upon certain Days, of which timely Notice will be given) as may be most agreeable.

He also proposes doing Business as a Broker, to buy or sell *West India* or *European* Goods, Bills of Exchange, Ships or other Vessels, Houses, Lands, *&c. &c.* and in general, such Business as he may be intrusted with, and that upon such low Terms, as may make it advantageous for the Gentlemen, Merchants, and Traders of this City, and those of the neighbouring Provinces to employ him.

He begs leave to assure them, his utmost Endeavours shall be exerted to give Satisfaction in the Management and Negotiating any Business that may be put under his Direction; and the Favours conferred on him will be thankfully received and gratefully remembered

N. B. We the Subscribers, being acquainted with the above named *Enoch Story*, are of Opinion, from our Knowledge of his Abilities and Character, that he is well qualified to execute the several Branches of Business above-mentioned.

Reese Meredith,	*Thomas & Isaac Wharton,*
James & Drinker,	*Stocker & Wharton,*
Willing & Morris,	*Samuel Morris, junr.*
Edward Penington,	*James Wharton.*

NINE POUNDS REWARD.

September 29, 1771.

RAN away from the Subscribers, living at Mr. *Lersh*'s Mill near *Baltimore-Town*, Three Servant Men, *viz.* JOHN JOHNSON, a smart young Man, about 24 Years of Age, a little marked with the Small-Pox, wears his own flaxen colour'd Hair, was us'd to the Sea all last War: Had on a blue Pea Jacket, a black Coat rent in the Back, good Shoes and Stockings; says he has many Relations in *London*, who follow the Grocery Business, to which he was brought up. THOMAS BEANS, about 24 Years of Age, about 4 Feet 10 Inches high, black Hair and Beard, of a brown Complexion, and has some small Impediment in his Speech: Had on when he went away, either a coarse whitish Cloth or a black Coat, a Pair of Buckskin Breeches, a Pair of black Stockings, a Felt Hat, and a Pair of middling good Shoes. SOLOMON LEETCH, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 5 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, down Look, low Speech, has short Hair, and chiefly wears a Cap, or else a brownish Wig; has lost Two Joints of his fore Finger on his right Hand, his Cloaths but mean: Had on when he went away an Iron Collar, which it is supposed he has filed off, as he attempted it once before; he may pretend to many Trades, as he was brought up in *Birmingham*. They have all been in the Country about 4 Months and may probably have Passes, as *Johnson* can write a very good Hand. It is supposed they are gone in Company with one *Isaac Pinkney* belonging to *David Gorsuch*.

Whoever takes up the said Servants and secures them, so as their Masters may get them again, shall receive if taken in the Province 50 Shillings, if out of the Province 3 Pounds for each, and reasonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

JOHN HEESTON and JOHN KAYTON.

THOSE who have Claims against *John Schneider*, late of *Annapolis*, deceased, are desired to bring them in, and those who are indebted to him are desired to make immediate Payment to

THOMAS HARWOOD, jun.

July 25, 1771.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber's Plantation, about 16 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*, 2 Convict Servants, *viz.* DAVID TOOLE, about 5 Feet 4 or 5 Inches high, a well set Fellow, has black Hair, gray Eyes, fresh ruddy Complexion, he is an *Irishman*, but doth not talk much in that Dialect: Had on and took with him, an old Fearnought Jacket, Osnabrig Shirt, Crocus Trousers, Felt Hat, and half worn Shoes. JOHN ROBERSON, an *English* Convict Boy, about 4 Feet high, and about 14 or 15 Years old, has black Hair, black Eyes, and a good Complexion; he is a very smart talkative Boy, and can read and write pretty well; he has had both of his Legs broke by a Cart, which occasions them to be somewhat crooked Had on when he went away, an Osnabrig Shirt, Felt Hat, a good blue Coat, brown Holland Jacket, and blue Breeches: They may not be dressed as is described, as they took sundry Cloaths with them, *viz.* A half worn Gold laced Hat, which has a very narrow Brim, a redish Wilton Coat, with Pockets in the Skirts, a Check Shirt, and striped Holland Trousers, an old blue under Jacket, old white Shirt and a new white ditto, 8 Pair of Thread Stockings, and One Pair of worsted ribbed ditto; the Boy has a Pair of Boots.——Whoever takes up and secures the said Servants, so that their Master gets them again, shall have 30 Shillings, if taken above 20 Miles from home, if out of the County, 40 Shillings, and if out of the Province 3 Pounds for each, and reasonable Charges if brought home.

(tf) JOHN R. HOLLIDAY.

October 5, 1771.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on the 24th of *Sept.* last, living in *Prince-George*'s County, about Five Miles from *Bladensburg*, a Negro Man named TOM, about 30 Years of Age, a well set lusty Fellow: Had on, when he went away, an old Castor Hat, an old white Cloth Coat, bound with black Ferit, an old Linen Jacket, Two Osnabrig Shirts, a Pair of long Crocus Trousers, a Pair of old Shoes, one of them has a Hole burnt in the Toe, he has a long Scar on his Neck as if he had wore an Iron Collar; it is very likely that he will endeavour to cross the Bay, as I understand that he was born near *Philadelphia*. Whoever secures the said Negro, so that his Master may get him again, shall receive Twenty five Shillings Reward, if taken in the County, and if out of the County Five Dollars, and reasonable Charges, if brought home, paid by

(3w) BEN. BERRY, Jun.

October 5, 1771.

By the Committee of Grievances and Courts of Justice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Committee will attend every Day during this Session, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in the Room adjoining the Ball-Room, in order to hear such Matters as may come properly before them.

Signed per Order of the Committee,

WILLIAM WRIGHT, Clk.

October 31, 1771.

To be sold, at the Plantation where Mr. Richard Brooke *lived, in* Charles *County, near* Pile's *Warehouse, on the* 2*d Day of* December *next,*

A Parcel of choice Slaves, consisting of Men, Women, Boys and Girls, for Cash or Bills of Exchange on *London*, by

(ts) LEONARD BROOKE, Executor.

October 1, 1771.

WHEREAS Mr. *Jacob Sprigg*, late of *Prince-George*'s County, deceased, did, by his Last Will and Testament, order all his Tract of Land, lying in *Frederick* County, called *The Addition to happy Choice*, containing 834 Acres, to be sold to the highest Bidder, for certain Purposes in said Will mentioned, Notice is hereby given, that on Wednesday the 19th Day of *November* next, at the House of Mr. *Samuel Swearingham*, in *Frederick-Town*, *Frederick* County, and at the Hour of Three o'Clock, the said Land will be exposed to Sale, agreeable to the said Will, for ready Sterling Cash, Current Money, or good *London* Bills of Exchange. The Land lies on *Little Monockasy*, in said County, and I am instructed to say it is well timbered and watered; a considerable Quantity of Meadow Ground, with a good Stream of Water for a Mill; the Soil fruitful and suitable to *Indian* Corn, Wheat or Tobacco, and the Title good. It will be sold in Lots, or the whole together, as it may be found most to the Advantage of the Estate. The Title may be known at any Time before, or on the Day of Sale, by applying to

(t.s.) WILLIAM T. WOOTTON, Executor.

JAMES LOGAN, who not only has been regularly bred to the tailoring Trade in the most capital House for that Business, in the City of *Cork*, but also worked for a considerable Time with much Applause, with most eminent Masters in *England* and *Ireland*; has now opened Shop at the House of Mr. *William Goldsmith*, Shoemaker, near the Town-Gate, *Annapolis*, where he intends carrying on his Trade in all it's various Branches; from a superior Ability in his undertaking, and constant Adherence to the due Assiduity highly necessary in the Execution thereof, he flatters himself he will be able to give the utmost Satisfaction to those who please to favour him with their Custom. (tf)

COMMITTED to my Custody as Runaways a Negro Man and Woman; the Man calls himself *George* and the Woman *Nan*; both say they belong to Mr. *Robert Hard* of *Talbot* County. Their Master is desired to pay Charges and take them away.

RICHARD THOMAS,

Sheriff of *Cecil* County.

Annapolis, October 22, 1771.

ALL Persons having Demands against *John Morton Jordan*, Esq; deceased, are desired to bring them in duly proved, that Provision may be made for Payment.—Those indebted to the said deceased, either on Bond, Note, or open Account, are desired to make immediate Payment, to prevent Suits being brought, which I shall be obliged *to do*, if Payments are delayed.

REUBIN MERIWETHER, Administrator of *John Morton Jordan*, with Respect to his Effects in this Province only (8w)

To be sold at publick Vendue for Cash, or Bills of Exchange, on Thursday the 21*st Day of* November *next, at the House of Mrs.* Charlton, *in* Frederick-Town, *by Virtue of a Deed of Trust made to me for that Purpose, by* John Wilmot,

A Tract or Parcel of Land, lying in *Frederick* County, called *Dinah's-Fancy*, containing Two Hundred and Fifteen Acres.

(tf) THOMAS BUCHANAN.

I Have for Sale 4777 Acres of Land, situated as follows, *viz.* 750 Acres in *Prince-George*'s County, within five Miles of *Bladensburg*, well watered, and plenty of Meadow Land on it——550 Acres in *Frederick* County, on *Seneca*, about 25 Miles from *George-Town*——300 Acres within 8 Miles of *Frederick Town*, well watered and timbered ——2440 Acres in the Settlement of *Antietam*, and *Conecocheague*, suitable for any Kind of Produce raised in this Province——and 737 Acres near Col *Thomas Cresap*'s, very rich, the most of it bottom Land. For Terms apply to *William Deakins*, junr. at *George-Town*, or the Subscriber

FRANCIS DRAKINS.

September 13, 1771.

ALL Persons indebted to the Subscriber in *Anne-Arundel* County, are desired to pay their respective Debts to Mr. *Kensey Johns*, at *Pigg-Point*, on or before the First Day of *November* next, and those that have Claims against him, are desired to leave them with the same Gentleman, in order that they may be paid. As I intend to leave the Parts, I must intreat a Compliance with the above Request.

(tf) JOHN WARREN.

Cambridge, Dorchester *County*, July 19, 1771.

THIS is to acquaint the Publick, and my kind Customers in particular, that I have lately furnished myself with a large and compleat Assortment of *European*, *West-India* and Country Goods, which I will sell very reasonable for Cash. Wheat, Flaxseed, Corn, Pork, Staves, Plank, and Feathers.

(tf) MICHAEL BURKE.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on *Elk-Ridge*, on Sunday the 18th of *August* 1771, a Convict Servant Man named JOHN WORGAR, about 35 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, round shouldered, has short black curled Hair, is of a dark Complexion, and talks very much like an *Irishman*: Had on an old Snuff coloured Broad-Cloth Jacket, a Cotton ditto, a Pair of Linen Breeches, Hempen Roll Trousers, Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, Check Shirt, Osnabrig and Irish Linen ditto; he took with him a Russia Drab Bed-tick. Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures him in any Jail, so that his Master may get him again, shall receive Three Pounds if taken in the Province, if out of the Province Five Pounds, and reasonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

(w4) STEPHEN STEWARD.

TWELVE DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, *May* 27, 1771, living in *Maningtон* Township, *Salem* County, *West New-Jersey*, an *Irish* Servant Man, named RICHARD HANDLEY, about 20 Years of Age, wears his own fair Hair, 5 Feet 4 or 5 Inches high, a likely well-set Fellow, stoops as he walks, speaks in the *Irish* Dialect, and is remarkable for calling working Cattle *Oxen*: Had on, and took with him a Felt Hat, old Homespun Cloth Jacket of a lightish Colour, a fine Shirt, a Tow Cloth ditto, 2 Pair of Trousers, one of Check Linen, a Pair of Buckskin Breeches, and Shoes tied with Strings; he may probably have a forged Pass with him. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him, so that his Master may have him again, shall receive the above Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by me, JOHN ROBERTS.

General Post-Office, *New-York, Jan.* 22, 1771.

HIS MAJESTY'S Post-Master General, having (for the better facilitating of Correspondence between *Great-Britain* and *America*) been pleased to add a Fifth Packet Boat to the Station between *Falmouth* and *New-York*: Notice is hereby given, that the Mail for the future will be closed at the Post-Office in *New-York*, at Twelve of the Clock at Night, on the First Tuesday in every Month, and dispatched by a Packet the next Day for *Falmouth*.

By Command of the D. Post-Master General.

(12m) ALEXANDER COLDEN, Secretary.

POETS CORNER.

An OLD WOMAN's REMONSTRANCE

To one of the beſt of ſublunary BEINGS; being as true, and, perhaps, *more* important than any, or *all*, preſented by the *loyal* Citizens of London.

HIS faithful Subject, Martha Bird,
Begs Leave to tell King George the Third,
How good, how bleſt the Times have been,
Which ſhe and Thouſands more have ſeen:
How in the Days of George the Second,
(As ſhe has not the Time miſ-reckon'd,
'Tis right ſhe ſhould herſelf explain,)
She means the firſt Part of his Reign;
Rent then was low, and *Taxes few*,
And *all* our *Poor had Work to do*:
Proviſions too were cheaper than
Can now be bought by any Man:
Then *Butchers Meat* (amazing Riſe!)
Was little more than *Half the Price*
Of what, your Majeſty is told,
In London is at this Time ſold.
An *Half peck Loaf* was nigh (I vow)
As cheap as is a *Quartern* now.
A Pound of *Butter* then was bought,
(Yea, wholſome Butter) for a *Groat*:
Permit me, Sir, to add to theſe,
Pounds have I ſold of *Cheſhire Cheeſe*
At Pence per Pound, not *more than Three*,
(What Roguery muſt ſomewhere be!)
The ſtrong *Beer-ſellers* too were willing
To ſell *Five* Quarts for *One* good Shilling.
Coals too were cheaper, ſo were *Shoes*,
And moſt Things which your Subjects uſe.
If Things go on at this *bad Rate*,
Your People, Sire, will *emigrate*.
The uſeful ones won't here remain,
But ſome will go to France and Spain:
And others to America
(For who to ſtarve will chuſe to ſtay?)
They who are, any how, diſtreſs'd,
Hate thoſe by whom they are oppreſs'd.
Becauſe you don't our *Burdens* move,
You daily loſe your *People's Love*.
And 'tis one Reaſon, Sir, that Wilkes
So eaſily the Vulgar *bilks*.
Rouſe, mighty George, ere 'tis too late,
And ſave the *Britiſh ſinking* State.
Let *Porter-Beer* again be got,
At *Half a Penny* leſs per Pot.
And *all* Proviſions rated ſo,
As they were *Forty* Years ago.
Each uſeful Art and Science nouriſh,
And make our Trade and Commerce flouriſh.
And from thoſe *Taxes* deem'd *moſt grievous*,
Be it your Study to *relieve us*.
Means to this, when you have *lit on*,
Then, "*glory in the Name of Briton.*"

Near Hoxton, C. THOMASON.
June 1.

Port Tobacco, Charles County, *Sept.* 29, 1771.

THE Subſcriber has laid out a Plan of a Town by the Name of *Edenburg*, at *Chapel Point*, near the Mouth of *Port Tobacco* Creek, extending about Three Quarters of a Mile along the Creek and about 80 Perches from the Water Side, containing in all upwards of 100 Acres and 196 Lots, of which the Proprietor the Subſcriber retains 5, *viz.* Two Water and Three Inland Lots, which are diſtinguiſhed by the Letters G, H. The Plan is to be ſeen at the Clerk's Office at *Port Tobacco* on Wedneſdays and Saturdays, at Mr. *Francis Ware*'s, and at the Subſcriber's, at all which Places Tickets may be had ſigned and numbered by the Subſcriber. The Lots are to be drawn for by a publick Lottery in *Port-Tobacco*, on the 20th of *November*, in which the Number of the Lot, as marked in the Plan drawn againſt the Number of the Ticket, will entitle the Bearer thereof to the ſaid Lot; by which Method every Adventurer will have an equal Chance. The Conditions are, that Ten Pounds Currency be paid down on the Delivery of each Ticket, ſigned and numbered by the Subſcriber. If any Accident prevents the ſaid Lottery's being drawn at the above Time, each Adventurer, on returning his Ticket, ſhall have his Money refunded him. Item, if a marſhy Spot falls to any One's Lot that may be reaſonably Objected againſt, he ſhall likewiſe in that Caſe, on giving back his Ticket, have his Purchaſe Money returned him. A Fee ſimple ſhall be conveyed by Deed of the above Lots to the Purchaſers.

The Lots not to be entered upon until *Chriſtmas* next, the whole of the Ground being now in Corn.

(t d.) GEORGE HUNTER.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Oliver Cromwell*, living near *Baltimore-Town* in *Baltimore* County, a dark bay Mare, about 7 Years old, near 13 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder HS, has ſome Saddle Spots on the near Side, a ſwitch Tail, hanging Mane, and is a natural Pacer. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges. (w3)

To be SOLD cheap for ready Money,

DR. JAMES's Fever Powders and Pills, with Papers of Direction. Enquire at the Printing-Office.

To be ſold by Thomas Richardſon *and Co. at their Store, in* George-Town, PALMER's *Water, for the ſafe, eaſy, and expeditious Cure of the* Stone *and* Gravel;

WHICH entirely diſſolves the Stone in the Bladder and Kidneys, and brings it away, with all the Sand and Gravelly Matter that may accompany it, without any Recourſe to the painful Operations of cutting and probing. On firſt taking this Water, the Outſide of the Stone appears in a red, gloſſy, and ſcaly Form, on the Sides and Bottom of the Veſſels receiving the Urine; but after taking it ſome Time, the inſide itſelf of the Stone comes away gradually, of a Freeſtone Colour, either in ſmall Particles or in Sand; and at laſt in a ſandy Subſtance. Thoſe who take this Water, are deſired, for their own Satisfaction, to ſave the Sediment of their Urine; for as they ſee the Quantity of the diſſolved Stone that comes away increaſe, they will find their Pains and Complaints decreaſe in the ſame Proportion. This Water not only cleanſes the Veſſels, but the Maſs of Blood, freeing it from all Acidities, ſo as to prevent the Breeding of that tartarous Mucilage, from which proceeds the Stone, Gout, Scurvy, Dropſy, and many other Chronic Diſeaſes. It likewiſe gives immediate Eaſe in all Pains ariſing from internal Ulcers, eſpecially thoſe in the Liver, Kidneys, Bladder, and Urinary Paſſages, which it ſoon cleanſes, and effectually heals up. Perſons who feel Pain in the Back, Loins or Kidneys, attended with Difficulty or Pain in making Urine, Sickneſs at the Stomach, or Dimneſs in the Eyes, by taking but Three or Four Bottles of this Water, might ſoon be thoroughly convinced, that the Stone or Gravel is the Cauſe of their Complaints, which before, perhaps, they had ſpent much Time and Money, to find out the Source of, to no Purpoſe; as has been the Caſe of many People lately cured by this Medicine. In theſe Complaints, ſome have taken ſuch violent Medicines, and ſuch immoderate Exerciſe, as to make the Stone come down ſo low, that nothing but probing could give them Relief; whereas, by merely taking this Water, the Stone has been ſoftened and broke, and brought off in a ſhort Time in Pieces of different Sizes, as may be ſeen by applying to the Perſons cured, who will juſtify the Truth hereof. What makes this Water more valuable is the Gentleneſs of its Operations, which is by Urine only, and the Pleaſantneſs of its Flavour. It never palls or ſickens the Stomach, but rather creates an Appetite; and, what is very extraordinary, it requires no particular Diet or Confinement: So that the Patient may follow his Buſineſs, as if he had taken nothing. It may be taken by Perſons ever ſo young or old; by thoſe of the moſt delicate Conſtitution, and even labouring under a Complication of Diſorders.

Perſons of undoubted Veracity, cured by this Stone-Water, will be made known by enquiring of Mr. *Stephen Palmer*, the Proprietor, in *Warwick-Court, Holbourn*; or of Mr. *Robert Peacock*, at the *Golden-Lion*, near *Somerſet-Houſe*, in the *Strand, London*; whom Mr. *Palmer* has appointed (and him only) to diſpoſe of the ſame, with himſelf, Price Six Shillings a Bottle.

At the above Places may be ſeen the various Sorts of Gravel and Sediments extracted by Means of the ſaid Water. (w3)

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS REWARD.

September 30, 1771.

RAN away laſt Night from the Subſcriber, living about a Mile from *Baltimore-Town*, a Convict Servant Man named ISAAC PINKENEY, about 35 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, of a freſh Complexion, ſhort brown Hair very thin before and tied behind: Had on when he went away, a middling good Felt Hat, a blue Sailors upper Jacket, a ſtriped under ditto, ſeveral Sailor like Jackets, Two Oſnabrig Shirts, a Pair of Country Tow Linen Trouſers, and under them a Pair of Linen or Ticken Drawers, a Pair of gray ribb'd Stockings, light blue ditto, and a Pair of Country made Shoes almoſt new. As he has been a Sailor, it is very likely he will go on Board ſome Veſſel; he is very talkative and pert if he gets in Liquor. It is ſuppoſed he is in Company with Three more belonging to *Kayton* and *Heeſton*. He was on board one of his Majeſty's Ships at the latter End of the laſt War, towards the Northward. Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and brings him Home, ſhall receive, if taken in the County, Ten Dollars, and if out of the Province the above Reward and reaſonable Charges, paid by

DAVID GORSUCH.

N. B. All Maſters of Veſſels are forbid to carry him off at their Peril.

Nanjemoy, Charles County, *October* 22, 1771.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, on Sunday the 6th Inſtant at Night, Two Negro Men, about 5 Feet and a Half high: Had on each an old Cotton Jacket, a Pair of new Roll Trouſers, Roll Shirt, and an old Felt Hat; took with them Two ſmall Guns, One Shot-bag, a Powder-gourd with ſome Powder in it, and in the Shot-bag were Two Books, one of *Fiſher*'s Arithmetick, the other a Farrier's Book. One of them has a remarkable Dent on the Top of his Forehead. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid Negroes, ſo that the Subſcriber may get them again, ſhall have, if taken up in the County, Twenty Shillings Reward for each, and if out of the County Forty Shillings for each, beſides what the Law allows, paid by

(w3) RICHARD WORDEN.

To be ſold to the higheſt Bidder, on Monday the 18th of November, *purſuant to the Laſt Will and Teſtament of* Nicholas G. Ridgley, *at his late Dwelling-Houſe, for Sterling Caſh, Bills of Exchange, or current Money, the following Tracts or Parcels of Land*, viz.

THAT Tract whereon the deceaſed lived, lying in *Anne-Arundel* County, about 20 Miles from *Elk-Ridge Landing*, 25 Miles from *Baltimore*, and 30 from *George-Town*, containing upwards of 600 Acres, whereon is a Dwelling-Houſe with Three Rooms and Two Fire Places on the Lower Floor, and Two Rooms above, all finiſhed, a Kitchen, Store-houſe, Milk-houſe, Meat-houſe, Corn-houſe, Stables, and Three Tobacco-houſes almoſt new, covered with Shingles, about 20 Acres Meadow, fit for the Scythe, and as much more may be made with little Trouble, great Part thereof being already cut down, and may be watered at little Expence by a Stream that runs through it. Two large young Orchards, the Land is exceeding good and well timbered, the Plantation in good Order and will ſuit either Planter or Farmer; on the ſame Tract is a good Brick Houſe lately built, and a Kitchen very convenient for a Tenant. One other Tract containing about 266 Acres, lying about 4 Miles from the above, whereon is a Dwelling-houſe, Corn-houſe and Tobacco-houſes, in good Repair. The Land is rich and well timbered, and the Plantation in good Order for cropping, the greateſt Part being freſh. One other Tract, lying about 3 Miles from the firſt mentioned Plantation, containing about 100 Acres, whereon is Two ſmall Dwelling-houſes and a Tobacco-houſe; the Plantation in good Order, and now Rents for £. 10 currency *per Annum*, alſo Twelve valuable Slaves, Men, Women, Boys and Girls, amongſt which are ſeveral Ploughmen, a complete Waggoner, and Wenches that underſtand Houſe Work; the Time of Four Servants, a Carpenter, Shoemaker, Bricklayer and Labourer, a good Waggon and Team, many other valuable Horſes, Mares and Colts, a large Stock of Cattle, Hogs and Sheep, a Wheat Fan, Ploughs, Cart, and every Plantation Utenſil; all the Houſehold Furniture, conſiſting of Plate, China, many good Feather Beds, Chairs, &c. almoſt new, alſo about 150 Barrels of Corn, a large Quantity of Oats, ſome Wheat, Fodder and Straw; about £. 130 Coſt of Goods, conſiſting of *Iriſh* Linens, Mens and Boys Hats, ſome Silks, &c.

On Saturday the 23d of *November* will be ſold as above, on the Premiſes, a valuable Tract of Land at the Mouth of *Seneca Creek*, in *Frederick* County, about 18 Miles from *George-Town*, containing about 160 Acres, whereon is a Dwelling-Houſe with a Brick Chimney, Kitchen, Milk-houſe, Store-houſe, and ſeveral other Out-houſes. This Place lies on *Patowmack* River, at the Head of the *Seneca* Falls, where in all Probability will be a Landing Place for all Commodities brought down the River from the Back Country, and is likely to be a Place of conſiderable Trade, as it lies convenient to ſeveral Water-Mills. The Land is exceeding rich and well timbered, and the Plantation in good Order for cropping, and would ſuit either Planter, Farmer, or Merchant.

Alſo will be ſold, at the ſame Time and Place, one other Tract of Land, lying in ſaid County, near Mr. *John Riley*'s, containing about 200 Acres; ſome Part of which is cleared, and the Soil good, 40 Barrels Corn, ſome Hogs and Plantation Utenſils.

On Saturday the 30th *November* will be ſold, at Publick Sale, at the Houſe of Mr. *John Orme*, in *George-Town*, Two convenient Lots in the Addition to *George-Town*. Twelve Months Credit will be given to the Purchaſer of the Lands, and till the laſt of *July* to the Purchaſer of the Negroes, &c. where the Debt is above Ten Pounds, on giving Bond and Security to

JANE RIDGELY, Executrix of *Nicholas Greenbury Ridgely.*

N. B. All who have Claims againſt the ſaid *Ridgely*'s Eſtate, are deſired to make them known before the Sale to Mr. *Greenbury Ridgely*, on *Elk-Ridge*, or Mr. *Thomas Johnſon, George-Town.*

Upper-Marlborough, September 13, 1771.

THE Subſcriber intending to leave this Place earneſtly intreats all Perſons indebted to him to pay off their Accounts, on or before the Firſt Day of *November* next, that he may be enabled thereby, before his Departure, to pay thoſe to whom he owes Money, who are deſired to bring in their Claims before the above Time.

(tf) JOHN WARREN.

TO BE SOLD,

A Commodious Plantation, on *Elk-Ridge*, within Twenty-two Miles of *Annapolis*, Eighteen of *Baltimore-Town*, and Ten of *Elk-Ridge Landing*, well adapted to Grain and Graſs. A View of the Premiſes will ſufficiently evince the Beauty of the Situation and Fertility of the Soil.

(tf) H. GRIFFITH.

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